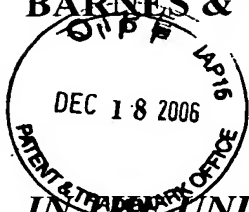


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Sir:

A three-month extension of time is requested until December 18, 2006 and hereby filed concurrently with an Appeal Brief Mailed December 18, 2006. A check in the amount of \$510.00 is enclosed to cover the required fee.

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